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Office of Pesticide Programs (7504P)  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
William Jefferson Clinton Building  
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20460-0001

RE: FIFRA § 6(a)(2) Report  
DERBI #: 290867  
State/Country: Parana/ Brazil  
Severity Category: H-A

Product Name: DMA 806 BR  
Registration Number: OUS Registration  
Active Ingredient: 2,4-D DMA salt  
CAS Registry Number: 002008-39-1

Dow AgroSciences submits the following information in response to its understanding of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's interpretation of FIFRA § 6(a)(2). However, Dow AgroSciences has not concluded that this information regards an "unreasonable adverse effect on the environment" or that it is reportable under FIFRA § 6(a)(2).

On February 21, 2014, an agent of Dow AgroSciences became aware of an alleged attempted suicide of DMA 806 BR herbicide by a 37 year old male, in Brazil. Subsequently, on March 13, 2014 Dow AgroSciences was provided additional information indicating that the patient died on February 23, 2014. Attached is the individual incident report detailing the initial call and subsequent information regarding this alleged human death.

If you wish to discuss this matter further, please contact me at 317-337-4983.

Regards,

*Shannon Bass*

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Attachments

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Global Adverse Effects Reporting Form

Section 1. Administrative Data

Your Name (last name, first name)

Nogueira, Danielle

Your Location (select country from dropdown list)

Brazil

Employee ID  
(e.g., U123456)

u395814

Date You Became Aware of  
Adverse Effect Allegation  
(mm/dd/yyyy)

03/13/2014

Reporter Name (person/organization reporting  
information to you)

Reporter Address (street, city, state/province, country)

Reporter Phone Number  
(include area/country code)

☐ New Report

☒ Update to Previous Report

Contact Name (if different than reporter name)

Contact Address (street, city, state/province, country)

Contact Phone Number  
(include area/country code)

Section 2. Pesticide(s) Involved (include Dow AgroSciences Crop Protection and Seeds Traits & Oils, as well as, third-party products)

Product Name

DMA 806

Active Ingredient(s)

2,4-D, SAL DIMETILAMINA

Registration #

2108604

Diluted or Concentrated

Unknown

Product Name

Active Ingredient(s)

Registration #

Diluted or Concentrated

Tank Mix Partner?

Section 3. Circumstance Information (complete the Form based on information available at the time you become aware of an allegation; no investigation is required)

Date of Exposure or Alleged

Adverse Effect (mm/dd/yyyy)

02/21/2014

Location of Exposure or Alleged Adverse Effect

City

Apucarana

State/Province

Parana

Country

Brazil

Type of Exposure/Event (check all that apply)

☒ Human

☐ Plant Damage

☐ Water Contamination (e.g., drinking water, surface water, groundwater)

☐ Property Damage

☐ Study

☐ Domestic Animal

☐ Fish or Wildlife

☐ Other Non-target Organism (e.g., beneficial insects)

☐ Packaging Failure

☐ Other (e.g., development of resistance, spill, etc.)

Situation

Other

Use Site

Other

How Exposed

Attempted Suicide

Route of Exposure  
(for human and animal only)

Ingestion/Oral

Was Protective Clothing Worn?

No

Were Label Directions Followed?

Was Exposure Intentional?  
(e.g., suicide attempt)

Yes

Any Evidence of Intentional Product Misuse?

Yes

Provide Brief Description of Circumstances

Doctor informs that have a patient ingested about 100 ml of DMA. The patient had obnubilated, agitation and hypertension. The doctor informs that the patient was treated in other hospital with atropine, promethazine and chlorpromazine. Was instructed about the product and treatment. New Information - Patient died in 02/23/2014. No information about autopsy

List Symptoms, If Any

Obnubilated, agitation and hypertension.

Who Made the Application?

Not applicable

If Other, Please Specify

Is Applicator Certified?

Method of Application

Application Rate

If Human Exposure:

Person 1:

Age

37

Gender

Male

Duration of Exposure (minutes,  
hours, days, etc.)

NA

Time Between Exposure and  
Onset of Symptoms  
(minutes, hours, days, etc.)

Unknown

Type of Medical Care Sought

Hospital Inpatient

If Domestic Animal Exposure:

For AE COE Use Only

Date AE COE Received:

3/14/14

Report: Yes

No

Severity Category(s):

HA

If no, why?:

Animal 1: Indicate Type (e.g., dog, cat, horse, cow, etc.)

Breed/Species

Number Affected

Type of Veterinary Care  
Sought

If Wildlife Exposure:

Wildlife 1: Indicate Type

Species

Number Affected

If Plant Damage:

Plant 1: Indicate Type

Species

(e.g., corn, soybeans, tomatoes, etc.)

Plants Affected

Number of Acres Exposed

Number of Acres Affected  
(showing symptoms)

Additional Information, if Available (e.g., if sampling and/or analysis was performed, provide laboratory results)

**Section 4. Study Information** (complete this section if you are reporting study-related adverse effects)

Check the category that best describes the type of study information you are reporting:

☐ Toxicological

☐ Metabolites, Degradates, Contaminants, or Impurities

☐ Human Epidemiological or Exposure

☐ Ecological

☐ Pesticides Detected in or on Food, Feed, or Water

☐ Failure of Performance Information

Was Study Discontinued  
Before Planned Termination?

Is Study Complete?  
(if yes, submit copy of study  
report with this Form)

Type of Effect(s) Observed

Species and Strain

Dose(s) or Volume(s)

Number/Sex/Dose

Exposure/Dose Route

Treatment Regimen (frequency/duration of exposure)

Provide Brief Explanation of Triggering Effect

Revised: 2/15/2013